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Sent: 10/10/2018 1:47:09 PM

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Subject: RE: Plastic Waste/Marine Debris Meeting Request

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Thank you for your consideration, Dennis

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From: Weber, Katherine P [WeberKP@state.gov]

Sent: 2/26/2019 5:58:08 PM

To: Swearingen, Anastasia [anastasia swearingen@americanchemistry.com]; Kovner, Karissa [Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov];

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CC: Tatum, Jana [Tatum.Jana@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Catching up on Stockholm, Basel, SAICM, and UNEA

Hi all,

Unfortunately, this time no longer works well for State because a UNEA-related meeting has been scheduled at the White House at the same time. I'm happy to try to reschedule this week, though that may be a challenge since I think we had a hard time finding an initial time. Anastasia, are you going to Nairobi? If yes, perhaps you could try to connect with Andrew on the ground there regarding UNEA issues, and we can look to after UNEA to reschedule our call?

Thanks, and apologies for the late notice, Kate

-----Original Appointment-----**From:** Weber, Katherine P

Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2019 5:11 PM

To: Weber, Katherine P; Swearingen, Anastasia; Kovner, Karissa; Clark, Andrew D; Nazef, Laura; Helms.Greg@epa.gov;

Yohannes, Lia; Picardi, Rick; Holland, Keri J; Landsidle, Jennifer R

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Subject: Catching up on Stockholm, Basel, SAICM, and UNEA

When: Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:00 PM-11:00 PM (UTC+01:00) Amsterdam, Berlin, Bern, Rome, Stockholm,

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From: Swearingen, Anastasia <anastasia swearingen@americanchemistry.com>

Sent: Monday, February 11, 2019 2:33 PM

To: Kovner, Karissa < Kovner, Karissa@epa.gov>; Clark, Andrew D < ClarkAD@state.gov>; Weber, Katherine P

< <u>WeberKP@state.gov</u>>; Nazef, Laura < <u>Nazef.Laura@epa.gov</u>> **Subject:** Catching up on Stockholm, Basel, SAICM, and UNEA

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Please let me know when you are available. While I am busy the afternoon of the 25 th , I can make any other day/time
that week work.

Thank you!

Best regards,

Anastasia

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Sent: 2/11/2019 1:57:35 PM

To: Kovner, Karissa [Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Catching up on Stockholm, Basel, SAICM, and UNEA

Thank you!

From: Kovner, Karissa [mailto:Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, February 11, 2019 8:48 AM

To: Swearingen, Anastasia

Cc: Clark, Andrew D; Weber, Katherine P; Nazef, Laura

Subject: Re: Catching up on Stockholm, Basel, SAICM, and UNEA

Hi Anastasia,

Congratulations on your new job!

Thanks for the meeting requests. EPA and State will work together to figure out the best mix of times and meetings, along with the right people, and be back in touch.

Best, Karissa

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From: Houtman, Carrie (CE) [CEHoutman@dow.com]

Sent: 11/4/2019 9:53:12 PM

To: Kovner, Karissa [Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Checking in

Attachments: Alexandra_Dunn_EPA.pdf

Hi Karissa,

HOW ABOUT THOSE NATS!!! ©

Attached is a pdf of the letter we sent. Hope it helps. No apologies necessary – it happens.

Please let me know how you'd like to proceed.

Thanks so much,

Carrie

From: Kovner, Karissa < Kovner. Karissa@epa.gov> Sent: Thursday, October 31, 2019 6:54 PM

To: Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com>

Subject: Re: Checking in

Hi Carrie,

That was an amazing game last night! Wow!

So I met with Alex today. Would you be able to email me a pdf or whatever of the letter? It apparently never made it into her correspondence log. I'm not sure what to say, other than I'm so sorry. We are a little bit administratively challenged at the moment. I should have followed up with you earlier, I just assumed it was making its way through the process.

My apologies, we'll move it as fast as possible once I have it and get you on her calendar quickly.

Thanks, Karissa

On Oct 25, 2019, at 3:16 PM, Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com > wrote:

GO NATS! ☺

From: Kovner, Karissa < Kovner, Karissa@epa.gov>

Sent: Friday, October 25, 2019 3:16 PM

To: Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com> **Cc:** Plotzke, Kathy (K) < kathy.plotzke@dow.com>

Subject: Re: Checking in

Thanks! If the Nats win, all will be well with the weekend!

On Oct 25, 2019, at 3:10 PM, Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com > wrote:

Karissa,

It's nice to hear from you – and no need to apologize! Sounds like it's been crazy on your end.

We'll just stand by to hear how your conversation goes next week, and take it from there.

Hope you have a restful weekend.

Carrie

From: Kovner, Karissa < Kovner. Karissa@epa.gov>

Sent: Friday, October 25, 2019 12:33 PM

To: Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com> **Cc:** Plotzke, Kathy (K) < kathy.plotzke@dow.com>

Subject: RE: Checking in

Hi,

I have been out of the country for several weeks for SAICM and POPs/PIC so I haven't had a chance to ask her yet. But rest assured it is the top of on my list for her and I have a meeting scheduled for Oct. 31 with her on just my issues. I suspect it has just gotten buried in the onslaught of TSCA implementation letters and her admin team didn't realize it was separate; I'll just need to pull it out of the correspondence log. But I'd like to raise it with her so she is aware before I go and find it! Gives me a chance to give her the background again and link it to the outcomes in Rome week before last at the POPs and PIC technical meetings.

I apologize for the delay on this. I have been away more than I have been home; it has just been brutal. But your letter has been on my mind and was one of the main reasons I scheduled a long meeting with her.

Thanks, Karissa

From: Houtman, Carrie (CE) < CEHoutman@dow.com>

Sent: Friday, October 25, 2019 11:27 AM **To:** Kovner, Karissa < <u>Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov</u>> **Cc:** Plotzke, Kathy (K) < <u>kathy.plotzke@dow.com</u>>

Subject: Checking in

Hi Karissa,

I hope this finds you well! I wanted to check in to see if you know whether Ms. Dunn received our request for a meeting on international conventions, or if you know how (or if) she'd like to proceed. Kathy and I were also thinking it'd be great to find some time to chat about recent developments in Europe.

Let me know your thoughts on a call – happy to set something up if you can give me a sense of your availability over the next couple of weeks.

Thank you kindly, Carrie From: Yohannes, Lia [Yohannes.Lia@epa.gov]

Sent: 10/17/2019 4:53:57 PM

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We'd like to give a status update in advance of the second in-person meeting of the OECD Ad Hoc group established to develop an approach for the import and export of plastic scrap among OECD countries under the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. The meeting will be held December 2-4, 2019.

The call-in number for the conference call is Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

Background: As most of you know, the Parties to the Basel Convention recently decided to make most plastic scrap and waste Basel-covered waste which will be subject to a prior notice and consent procedure effective January 1, 2021. While the U.S. is not a Basel Party, the U.S. is able to export and import waste under a legally binding agreement through the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) called the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. Because of the changes to the Basel Convention to regulate transboundary movements of most plastic scrap, OECD countries must now decide what level of control to apply to such trade under the OECD Council Decision. The OECD created an Ad Hoc group



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Dear stakeholders,

We'd like to give an update on the OECD process to developing an approach for the import and export of plastic scrap among OECD countries under the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. We will also give a readout of the first teleconference of the technical group (referred to as the OECD Ad Hoc Task Team) that is negotiating the issue.

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Hi all,

Steve Russell will provide a briefing for interested federal agency staff on the new <u>Alliance to End Plastic Waste</u>. The briefing will be at ACC's offices for those able to attend in person. Please come to the 10th floor reception area, where I will meet you. For those not able to attend in person, below is information for a WebEx. There may be a power point presentation used for the briefing. We plan to provide 30-45 minutes for questions and discussion and so have allocated 90 minutes for the briefing.

Please feel free to pass this along to your federal agency colleagues that I may have missed on the meeting invite.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

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Dear stakeholder

As some of you know, the Parties to the Basel Convention recently decided to make most plastic scrap and waste Basel-covered waste which will be subject to a prior notice and consent procedure effective January 1, 2021.

The U.S. is not a Party to Basel because we have not ratified the Basel Convention. However, the U.S. is able to export and import waste under a legally binding agreement through the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) called the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. The OECD is a consortium of 36 developed, democratic countries. The OECD Council Decision allows us to export and import with other OECD countries.

There is a provision in OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 that states that changes to the waste listings in the Basel Annexes will be automatically adopted by the OECD Council Decision unless an OECD member country objects. The U.S. is an OECD member country.

In June, I will be attending a meeting of the OECD Working Party on Resource Productivity and Waste where the interface between the OECD and Basel plastic waste listings will be briefly discussed. So, I am inviting those of you who are interested to this conference call to obtain your input on this issue.

The call-in number for the conference call is Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) Ind the access code is Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

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Result of management

KOVAC has successfully operated a voluntary agreement.



Expand recycling

improve recycling of products sales volume standard, 6.5%(2008) → 20.0%(2014)

Support for recycling companies

Support fund for recycle activation about recycling companies 509 million dollar (5,608 million won) in 2008~2014.





Reduction of greenhouse gas

Reduce greenhouse gas emissions through recycling is 5,030 tons, in 2013

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Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

On May 10, 2019, at 1:55 AM, Yohannes, Lia < Yohannes. Lia@epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks for sharing the concern. I also touched base with Adina. Meant to mention that but things were happening so fast... see you tomorrow!

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On May 9, 2019, at 8:33 PM, Harris, Stewart < Stewart Harris@americanchemistry.com > wrote:

Hi Sophie,

In reviewing the work of the drafting group, I noted the reference to R12 in the footnote.

If the red highlighted footnote 4 were included, this could be very problematic. We are not sure we understand footnote 4.

As you know, the following proposal by the EU is being considered in the Review of Annexes group for a new R12 that is very bad:

Mechanical treatment (e.g. dismantling, sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletizing, shredding, conditioning, repackaging, separating, blending, mixing) prior to submission to any of the operations in section B

Basically, this says that all these operations – which we believe are recycling as does the Basel Convention in its current form – would no longer be classified as recycling but "treatment." It implies that only the steel mill or only the plastic toy maker that feeds plastic pellets that came from recycling would be the recycler.

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Subject: RE: OECD-Basel PlasticsEurope Suggestion

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Hi Stew

Thanks for the PlasticsEurope position.

We'd be glad to discuss possible ways for developing countries to export plastic scrap to the US. We definitely support and want to encourage such exports. Unless I'm missing something, developing countries will be able to export plastic scrap to all OECD member countries except the US after January 1, 2021 because the developing countries and the non-US OECD member countries are Basel Parties. Because of the Basel Party Non-Party prohibition and the US not being a Party, it will only be the US that will have difficulty importing Annex VIII and Annex II plastic scrap from non-OECD countries after January 1, 2021.

Rick

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Subject: OECD-Basel PlasticsEurope Suggestion

Hi Rick, Lia, and Larke,

I hope you are well. Attached is the position from PlasticsEurope, which generally tracks the BIR and EuRIC positions. PlasticsEurope has also added the suggestion that OECD consider a mechanism to allow non-OECD members to export plastic waste to OECD countries for recycling. I am discussing a potential revision to the suggestion to focus it on all end-of-life plastics to maintain as broad a scope as possible. Below is the proposed revision I am discussing with PlasticsEurope.

Exploring the option to include a mechanism inviting non-OECD members to join the Decision for purposes of imports into the OECD only. This includes all end-of-life plastics. It would enable countries such as the Less Developed Countries to find a solution for managing plastic waste for which they currently have no recycling or recovery capacity. At the same time, such an approach would help enable innovation for recycling technologies in OECD countries, thereby accelerating a Circular Economy.

Let me know your thoughts on this suggestion. I believe it is a good opportunity for industry to demonstrate our interest in addressing issue of plastic marine debris, while finding a creative—but not new—approach for developing countries to have better access to recycling infrastructure in developed countries while developing countries build out their own recycling capacity.

Thanks, Stew Stewart Harris | American Chemistry Council Director, Marine and Environmental Stewardship, Plastics Division Stewart_Harris@americanchemistry.com

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Sent: 8/29/2019 1:24:31 PM

To: Yohannes, Lia [Yohannes.Lia@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: You mentioned a meeting

Thanks you, Lia. Are you available tomorrow for a quick check in on how BIAC is coming together for the OECD meeting?

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From: "Yohannes, Lia" < Yohannes.Lia@epa.gov> Date: Thu, August 29, 2019 8:08 AM -0400

To: "West, Jay" <Jay West@americanchemistry.com>

Subject: RE: You mentioned a meeting

Hi Jay,

Yes. It's for the intersessional working group that will work to update the technical guidelines on ESM of plastic waste. The same group will work on improving clarity of terms in the plastic scrap/waste amendments. See pg. 13 of the attached.

Hope you all can participate.

Lia

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Subject: You mentioned a meeting

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Hi Lia,

I think I heard you mentioned a meeting for which registration as an observer closes at the end of this month. I did a quick look at the Basel website, and I don't see anything. Can you please clarify for me?

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To: Harris, Stewart [Stewart Harris@americanchemistry.com]

CC: Yohannes, Lia [Yohannes.Lia@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Basel and OECD

We'll call you then.

From: Harris, Stewart < Stewart_Harris@americanchemistry.com>

Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2019 4:11 PM **To:** Picardi, Rick < Picardi.Rick@epa.gov> **Cc:** Yohannes, Lia < Yohannes.Lia@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Basel and OECD

Hi Rick,

Yes, 9:30 works for me.

Thanks, Stew

On May 30, 2019, at 4:04 PM, Picardi, Rick < Picardi.Rick@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Stew

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Rick

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Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2019 11:57 AM

To: Yohannes, Lia < Yohannes. Lia@epa.gov >; Picardi, Rick < Picardi. Rick@epa.gov >

Subject: Basel and OECD

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Dear stakeholders,

We'd like to give a status update in advance of the second in-person meeting of the OECD Ad Hoc group established to develop an approach for the import and export of plastic scrap among OECD countries under the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. The meeting will be held December 2-4, 2019.

The call-in number for the conference call is

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Background: As most of you know, the Parties to the Basel Convention recently decided to make most plastic scrap and waste Basel-covered waste which will be subject to a prior notice and consent procedure effective January 1, 2021. While the U.S. is not a Basel Party, the U.S. is able to export and import waste under a legally binding agreement through the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) called the OECD Council Decision

C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. Because of the changes to the Basel Convention to regulate transboundary movements of most plastic scrap, OECD countries must now decide what level of control to apply to such trade under the OECD Council Decision. The OECD created an Ad Hoc group (the OECD Ad Hoc Task Team) to reach consensus on the issue and the group held its first in-person meeting on September 19-20.

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To: West, Jay [Jay_West@americanchemistry.com]
Subject: RE: OECD follow-up: quick call on Friday?

Hi Jay,

Thanks. Yes, those thoughts have also crossed our minds. These times work for the US Del on the 19th and 20th. I think the State Department folks will be in Thailand, so they may not make it.

Tues, Nov 19: 9-12pm, 1-2pmThurs, Nov 21: 9-12pm, 1-2pm

Safe travels! Hope your meeting is going well.

Lia

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Hi Lia,

I'm in China right now, traveling home Friday, so we'll have to wait until next week. Let me run traps with a few folks and get back to you with some possible times on the 19th and 20th.

From a process standpoint, if the EU is actively working toward a no consensus outcome (my opinion), then how much room is there to negotiate what anyone wants in Y48/B3011? The EU will go with Basel, and then what else?

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Hi Jay,

Do you have any availability this Friday for a quick chat (30 minutes or less) on OECD? The US Del just wants to get a better understanding of what ACC's top priorities are in terms of the Y48/B3011 plastic scrap listing esp. if it looks like we're heading into non-consensus.

We're free anytime on Friday outside of 3-3:30pm and 4-5pm. Alternatively, we could aim for Nov. 19 or 20th.

Thanks, Lia

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Dear Basel stakeholders,

As many of you know, the Basel Convention is in the process of reviewing a few of the Basel Annexes that determine what is considered a Basel-controlled waste and what wastes are considered hazardous. A Basel expert working group was established a few years ago to conduct the review process and potentially propose amendments to the Annexes for consideration at the 15th and 16th Basel Conference of the Parties (in 2021 and 2023, respectively).

On this call, I'd like to give an overview of key issues and get your input in advance of the next meeting of the group which will take place November 5-8, 2019.

The following Basel Annexes are under review:

- Annex IV (list of disposal and recovery operations) potential amendments considered at COP-15/2021.
- Annex VIII and IX listings for hazardous electrical and electronic waste and non-hazardous electrical and electronic waste - potential amendments considered at COP-15/2021.
- Annex I (list of waste categories and hazardous constituents to be controlled) potential amendments considered at COP-16/2023
- Annex III (list of hazardous characteristics) potential amendments considered at COP-16/2023

The Basel working group will also consider at this meeting whether any additional hazardous constituents or hazardous characteristics in relation to plastic scrap/waste should be added to Basel Annexes I or III, respectively.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Call-in info below:

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Best,

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Subject: RE: Drafting Group Members

+ Ghana and China. 12 countries total so I'm missing one still.

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Thanks!

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Sent: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 11:21 PM

To: Harris, Stewart < Stewart Harris@americanchemistry.com>

Subject: RE: Drafting Group Members

Hi Stew,

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Hi Lia,

Can you remind me who is in the drafting group?

I had Argentina Brazil New Zealand Canada Japan EU Norway Indonesia

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Subject: RE: Basel and OECD follow-up

Jay and Stew,

Just a heads up that I'll be inviting another EPA colleague to join our call on Monday. Renee Bellew works in our Dallas office (Region 6) and is helping out on some of the OECD info request.

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Subject: RE: Basel and OECD follow-up

Lia,

Stew is on travel tomorrow, and I'm leading a meeting on Monday that won't adjourn until 4. Can we do a call at 4 p.m.? Monday will also give me time to seek information to inform your second bullet.

In the meantime, I wanted to share with you the attached open access paper, A *Critical Review of the Application of Polymer of Low Concern and Regulatory Criteria to Fluoropolymers*. It examines PTFE, PFA, and FEP against low-concern criteria. We plan to submit this paper to the Task Group.

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To: West, Jay < Jay West@americanchemistry.com>

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Subject: Basel and OECD follow-up

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Subject: Basel and OECD follow-up

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Hi Jay,

Thanks. I'm familiar with the article - Stew or Anastasia shared it with me at the Basel COP.

Sure, Monday at 4pm works. I'll make this the invite.

Exemption (6)

Have a good weekend.

Lia

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Subject: RE: Basel and OECD follow-up

Lia,

Stew is on travel tomorrow, and I'm leading a meeting on Monday that won't adjourn until 4. Can we do a call at 4 p.m.? Monday will also give me time to seek information to inform your second bullet.

In the meantime, I wanted to share with you the attached open access paper, A *Critical Review of the Application of Polymer of Low Concern and Regulatory Criteria to Fluoropolymers.* It examines PTFE, PFA, and FEP against low-concern criteria. We plan to submit this paper to the Task Group.

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Subject: Re: Information on PVC

Attachments: SPE ANTEC 05-09-2017 Vinyl Recycling V2 Ext.pdf; VI-Cycle Task Force Update -Plastics Recycling World 05-08-2019

v5-1.pdf; Vinyl Industry Strategy - Vinyl Council of Australia 08-28-19.pdf; VinylPlus Progress Report 2019_08-28-19.pdf; Japan VEC pvc_fact_book1-3 2008.pdf; KOVEC Recycling Goals 08-28-19.pdf; Krock-Tarnell Vinyl Institute Recycled Vinyl as a Sustability Practice - SPE Proceedings Format 05-07-15.pdf; SA Vinyls Association Spearheads Exciting New Recycling Project for Hospitals _ Global Vinyl Council 2016.pdf; Legacy-additives-in-rigid-PVC_TNS-

evaluation_Feb2018.pdf

Jay,

Thank you very much for the information and for contacting the Vinyl Institute. Would Monday afternoon work for you all? Anytime between 2:30 – 5pm? Otherwise, we could do 12pm.

Best,

Lia

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Sent: Thursday, September 5, 2019 12:00 PM

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Subject: Information on PVC

Dear Rick and Lia,

Please find attached information regarding PVC recycling and recovery from a colleague at the Vinyl Institute. There are several documents, but many of them are quick reads. I think the ones that may be of most interest are the VinylPlus Progress Report, particularly the section on additives at page 14, and the one with the file name that beings with "Legacy," which also speaks to additives within a larger discussion of circularity policy objectives in the EU. Other attachments speak to the recycling situation in the U.S., Canada, Japan, Korea and South Africa.

The Vinyl Institute would like to schedule a call with you in the near future to answer your questions and share additional information. Would tomorrow or Monday be too soon?

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Sent: 8/29/2019 1:30:15 PM

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Subject: RE: You mentioned a meeting

Tomorrow is tough. Would this afternoon work? Otherwise Tuesday 1-3pm or Wednesday 10a-12pm generally look good. Thanks!

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Sent: Thursday, August 29, 2019 9:25 AM **To:** Yohannes, Lia < Yohannes. Lia@epa.gov> **Subject:** RE: You mentioned a meeting

Thanks you, Lia. Are you available tomorrow for a quick check in on how BIAC is coming together for the OECD meeting?

----- Original Message -----

From: "Yohannes, Lia" < Yohannes. Lia@epa.gov> Date: Thu, August 29, 2019 8:08 AM -0400

To: "West, Jay" < Jay West@americanchemistry.com>

Subject: RE: You mentioned a meeting

Hi Jay,

Yes. It's for the intersessional working group that will work to update the technical guidelines on ESM of plastic waste. The same group will work on improving clarity of terms in the plastic scrap/waste amendments. See pg. 13 of the attached.

Hope you all can participate.

Lia

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Subject: You mentioned a meeting

Hi Lia,

I think I heard you mentioned a meeting for which registration as an observer closes at the end of this month. I did a quick look at the Basel website, and I don't see anything. Can you please clarify for me?

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Subject: Stakeholder mtg: OECD Council Decision & plastic scrap

Location: Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

Start: 10/1/2019 5:00:00 PM **End**: 10/1/2019 6:00:00 PM

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Dear stakeholders,

We'd like to give a readout of the first in-person meeting (September 19-20) of the OECD Ad Hoc group established to develop an approach for the import and export of plastic scrap among OECD countries under the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations.

The call-in number for the conference call is Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) and the access code is (Ex. 5 Personal Privacy (PP))

Background: As most of you know, the Parties to the Basel Convention recently decided to make most plastic scrap and waste Basel-covered waste which will be subject to a prior notice and consent procedure effective January 1, 2021. While the U.S. is not a Basel Party, the U.S. is able to export and import waste under a legally binding agreement through the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) called the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. Because of the changes to the Basel Convention to regulate transboundary movements of most plastic scrap, OECD countries must now

decide what level of control to apply to such trade under the OECD Council Decision. The OECD created an Ad Hoc group (the OECD Ad Hoc Task Team) to reach consensus on the issue and the group held its first in-person meeting on September 19-20.

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consortium of 36 developed, democratic countries. The OECD Council Decision allows us to export and import with other OECD countries.

There is a provision in OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 that states that changes to the waste listings in the Basel Annexes will be automatically adopted by the OECD Council Decision unless an OECD member country objects. The U.S. is an OECD member country.

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Subject: RE: Basel Household Waste Partnership

Attachments: UNEP-CHW.14-CRP.33.EU HHW Partnership.docx; UNEP-CHW.14-INF-32.HHW guide.docx

Hi Stew,

Thanks for reaching out. No one from the USG is attending the Household Waste Partnership meeting in September. We're glad to know you'll participate in the Plastic Waste Partnership though. Larke and I (and another colleague from State, Emilie Winch) will be participating in it as well. We're aware that there will be some overlap between the two groups and they're supposed to coordinate with one another to avoid duplication of work. But it's our understanding that, in general, the household waste partnership is broader and isn't meant to focus heavily on any one waste stream.

Attached the last conference room paper (CRP) proposed by the EU (the only CRP I have on the HHW partnership), which I believe, was adopted as is. See III, 15 (b) and Annex (d). Also included the draft guidance document presented by the HHW partnership at COP-14.

I think Ross Bartley is pretty actively involved in the group.

Best,

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Subject: Basel Household Waste Partnership

Hi Larke and Lia,

I hope you are both well. I saw on the Basel website that the Household Waste Partnership is meeting 4-6 September in Trinidad and Tobago. Is someone from the USG attending? I am interested in how this partnership will coordinated with the Basel Partnership on Plastic Waste. I have indicated my interest in participating in the plastic waste partnership.

Thanks,

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Sent: 7/12/2019 12:19:36 PM

To: David Biderman [dbiderman@swana.org]

Subject: FW: U.S. letter of objection - OECD Council Decision

Attachments: US Objection Letter to OECD.pdf

Dear David,

I got a bounce back on your email with the first try. My apologies. Please see attached and below.

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Dear stakeholders,

Subject: U.S. letter of objection - OECD Council Decision

As you may know, on July 3, EPA sent to the OECD Secretariat, the U.S. objection to incorporating the three plastic scrap/waste amendments to Annexes II, VIII and IX of the *Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal* into the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107/FINAL, As Amended, on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Wastes Destined for Recovery Operations.

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For your reference, I have enclosed the U.S. letter of objection as an attachment to this email. We will be in touch in the coming weeks about next steps.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

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Location:

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Start: 6/27/2019 2:00:00 PM **End**: 6/27/2019 3:00:00 PM

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Dear stakeholder,

We'd like to update you on the outcomes of this week's OECD Working Party on Resource Productivity and Waste (WPRPW) where the issue of how the OECD will address the Basel plastic scrap/waste listings was briefly discussed.

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There is a provision in OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 that states that changes to the waste listings in the Basel Annexes will be automatically adopted by the OECD Council Decision unless an OECD member country objects. The U.S. is an OECD member country.

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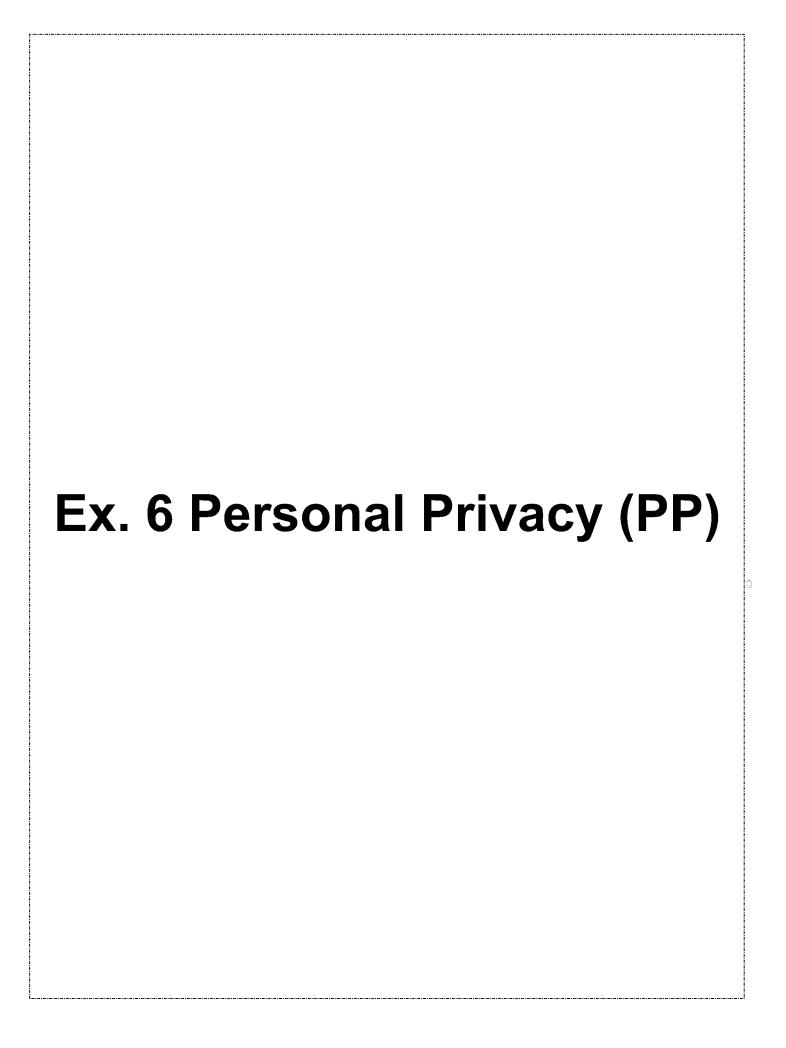
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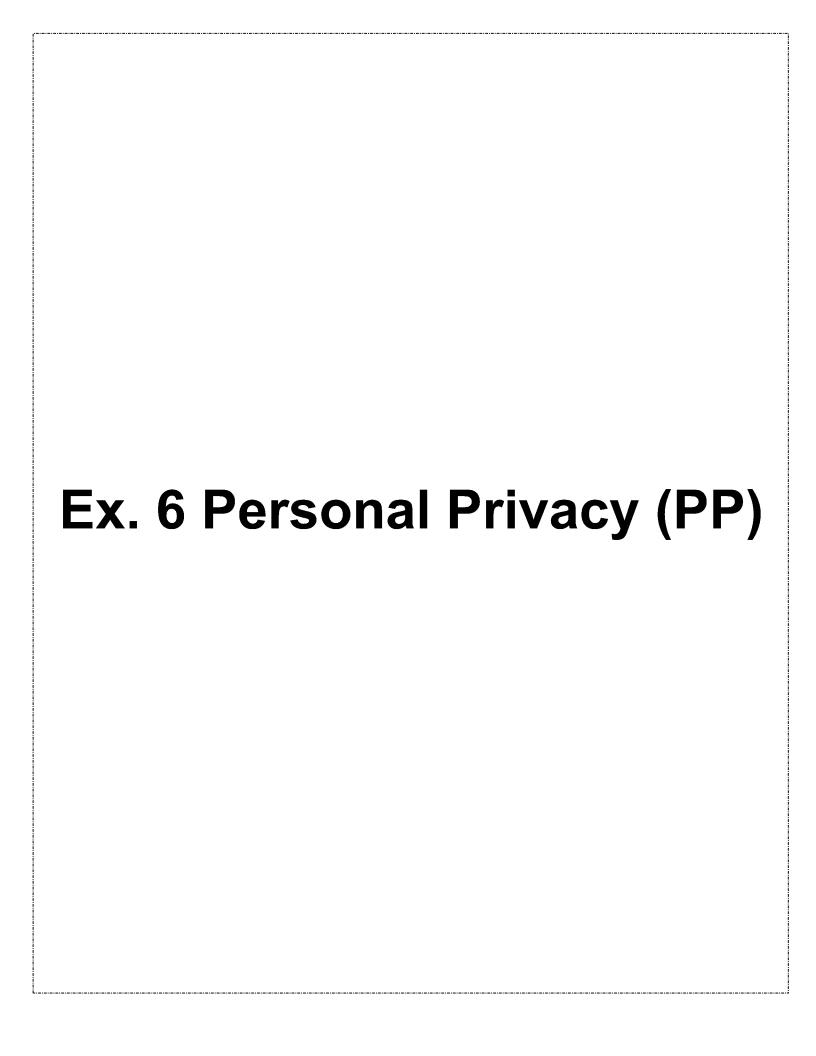
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Dear stakeholders,

We'd like to give a readout of the second in-person meeting of the OECD Ad Hoc group established to develop an approach for the import and export of plastic scrap among OECD countries under the OECD Council Decision C(2001)107 on the Control of Transboundary Movements Of Wastes Destined For Recovery Operations. The meeting was held December 2-4, 2019.

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changes to the Basel Convention to regulate transboundary movements of most plastic scrap, OECD countries must now decide what level of control to apply to such trade under the OECD Council Decision. The OECD created an Ad Hoc group (the OECD Ad Hoc Task Team) to reach consensus on the issue, and the group has held two in-person meetings: September 19-20 and December 2-4.